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## PALACE HOTEL CHANGES HANDS

Frank Sandelin has purchased the Palace hotel business from the Haugsted estate, taking charge yesterday morning. Mr. Sandelin comes from Fort Bragg where for the past three and a half years he has conducted that popular hostelry, the White House. Mr. Sandelin had previously been in the hotel business in San Francisco. He has long been known as one of the best hotel men on the coast and his friends among the traveling men, made by his genial manner and firstclass table, are legion.

It is reported that Judge Mannon the owner of the building will make a number of improvements in addition to the extensive repairs made a few months ago when the building was leased to Mr. Haugsted. Mr. Sandelin states that he will not be behind in his share of the work.

He will recarpet all the bedrooms and is arranging for the purchase of considerable new furniture. The parlor will be entirely renovated and fixed in the most convenient style for guests. The rooms will also be papered and painted and special attention will be given to rooms for commercial men.

Mr. Sandelin has decided to leave the price of meals at 35 cents and 50 cents as he intends catering to the better classes of trade. He believes that the public would rather pay 35 cents and get a good, wholesome meal especially as the table and service will be greatly increased.

The bar in connection will be kept up to its usual standard and nothing but the best wines, liquors and cigars served.

Mr. Sandelin's many friends on the coast will be pleased to hear of his new venture and he announces that although he has changed his location his old friends will not be forgotten and will receive especial attention at his hands.

Mr. Sandelin has not yet disposed of his Fort Bragg hotel and after spending a couple of weeks here to get the Palace running in proper shape will visit Fort Bragg where he expects to lease the White House. On his return he will be accompanied by his wife who will assume charge as landlady. Mrs. Sandelin is also an experienced hand in the hotel business and will be a great aid to her husband in looking to the welfare of the guests.

### Ukiah Girl Weds.

Miss May Waugh of this city and Walter A. Allen of Dunsmuir were married at Red Bluff Wednesday evening. The bride, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Waugh, was raised in this city and is an artist of considerable talent. For some years she has been devoting her time to evangelistic work in St. John's Methodist Episcopal church. A few weeks ago she conducted revival services at Potter valley, securing a large number of converts. She also assisted in the revival held at the St. John's church in this city. The groom is a fireman in the employ of the Southern Pacific running between Dunsmuir and Red Bluff. The newly married couple will make their future home at Dunsmuir. The PRESS joins the many friends of the happy couple in wishing them much prosperity.

### Not Generally Observed.

Washington's b irthday was observed Monday by the closing of the of the bank and county offices. The business houses remained open. On account of the wet weather and the danger of getting old glory fast in the halyards, the flag over the court house was not raised.

### Lots of Water.

The low portion of the valley near the river was flooded Monday as a result of the heavy rains. No damage is reported.

## CLEANS UP ALL THE STRAY VAGS

Constable Lynch made a great catch of vags Tuesday night. Six were secured in the building at the race track, two from an empty freight car and another brace in Hagans' barn. They were brought before Judge Crockett Wednesday and nine of them were allowed to appear yesterday at 10 a. m. for sentence.

They were a miscellaneous assortment of hoboes in all the various stages of degredation. Each one had a hard-luck story and all were hunting for work but none could be found in this glorious Mendocino county. They all agreed that the storm was responsible for their stay in this city.

The gentlemen of the road had apparently located for the winter and made regular routes over the town begging at private houses. The grocery stores were not exempt.

John Cooney appeared rather important Wednesday and was given ten days. Needless to say that the other nine have not appeared for sentence and are probably on the road again.

### Potter Mail Delayed.

Wednesday, for the first time in the history, the Potter valley mail failed to arrive. The rain had loosened the grade near the brickyard in the lower end of the valley and the slides completely blocked the traffic Alex Fowler, the driver, was compelled to turn back. As the telephone line was down no communication could be had with this city until afternoon.

### The New Warehouse.

The new warehouse of Lucas & Paxton is about completed. They are making preparations to move into it in the near future. It is very commodious and will provide ample room for storing the products of this section. They are also receiving large shipments of lumber for their yard. It is cut at the mills of the Northwestern Redwood company of Willits.

## REGARDING THE SCHOOL MAAMS

The following teachers have been engaged for the ensuing term at the school districts mentioned. The dates following indicate the opening of the schools. Blue Rock, F. P. Hogan, March 28, Indian Creek, T. M. McKay, March 7; Mineral Springs, Mrs. Vitalene Branscomb, March 7; Hansen, Miss Alice M. Cain; Laurel, Miss Helen E. Thomas, March 7; McKay, Mrs. Elizabeth Perkins, February 29; Independence, W. I. Rice, March 14; Williams Valley, Miss Mabel West; Mountain View, Margaret Venve, March 7; Moody, Mrs. Elizabeth Donahoe, March 14; Twin Rock, Rebekah Kennedy; Whitney, C. M. Drake, February 29.

### For Selling High Explosives.

It appears that the special act of the legislature of 1887 regarding the selling of high explosives is not generally heeded by the merchants and hardware men of this county. The substance of the act is about as follows: Any person selling giant powder or high explosives must keep an exact record of the same with the name of the party to whom it is sold and the use to which it is to be applied. This must be kept in a book open for public inspection. The minimum penalty for not doing so is $250 with a maximum of $5000.

### Faught-Price Nuptials.

W. G. Price and Miss Nellie Faught were married at noon on Monday at the residence of the groom's mother in this city. Rev. O. Wilkison of the Christian church performed the ceremony. The young couple departed on the noon train for Monterey their future home.

## Have You Voted?

The Piano Contest will close March 14 at 6 p. m. No votes will be given out later than that date and letters containing money must not bear a later postmark. Votes will be counted at 4 p. m. on the 15th in the business office of the Republican-Press.

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| Miss Lizzie O'Donnell, Mendocino | 250 |
| Miss Mabel West, Laytonville, | 7500 |
| Miss Ethel Beattie, Ukiah, | 7500 |
| Miss Susie Lucas, Ukiah, | 1375 |
| Miss Maud Sherwood, Point Arena, | 1250 |
| Miss Mae Kirchofer, Philo | 500 |
| Miss Bertha Williams, Ukiah, | 250 |
| Miss Hazel Lowe, Hopland, | 500 |

The piano is now on exhibition in the windows of the Ukiah Mercantile Company.

## NEWSY LETTER FROM GUALALA

GUALALA, February 16.—We have had one of the heaviest freshets in years but no particular damage was done to the mill company's work. L. R. McFaul, their wood's foreman, being a thorough riverman, took all precaution and guarded against log jams at the bridge, which heretofore have caused the company to lose many bridges.

The mill has been running very regular for winter months and when the new trimmer is installed on the south side the output will be greatly increased.

Six row boats went to sea in the storm Thursday night and others were damaged.

Last Wednesday Arch McLaughlin engineer of engine number 4, had the misfortune of badly spraining his right ankle while running along the track. He expects to go to work tomorrow.

Tom Hefron, from Duncan's mills, has accepted the position as mill boss at Bender Bros. new mill and arrived Sunday to inspect his new charge.

The steamer Scotia was compelled to drop the line from the chute at Bourn's landing on account of the rough weather and sailed for Santa Cruz with about 20 m feet of lumber short of a cargo.

Will Bourdett is again in our midst after a year's absence and has his old job as filer at the mill.

Peter Olsen and Harry Bourns, who have been working in the mill, took a team for Point Arena, where they expected to take the steamer, Pomoa, for San Francisco.

Constable McCallum was down on a business trip the first of last week.

Emmett Gillmore, proprietor of Fashion Stables at Point Arena, brought a crowd of boys down Sunday. TWO FOGEATERS.

### Van Allen-MacDonald Nuptials.

Miss Carrie Van Allen, formerly of this city and Donald Macdonald were married at the residence of Mrs. Phinney, San Francisco Sunday. The wedding was a quiet one and was quite a surprise to the friends of the bride in this city. The bride is the daughter of William Van Allen and was raised here having been a valued employee in this office for a number of years. The groom is a well known San Francisco business man. THE PRESS force joins their many friends in wishing the happy couple a prosperous future. May their "takes" always be fat ones and their lives free from "pi."

### Calves Drowned.

During the heavy rains last week Mack Howard lost six fine calves. The river washed the pasture fence out and James Shattuck started down to drive the calves into another field. He was unable to head them off and they got into the river.

## HAS NO USE FOR THE GAME LAWS

PHILO, February 23.—As Philo items have appeared quite regularly in the PRESS of late I can't find any startling news. As I walk into Philo nearly all I can hear is, as was in last week's PRESS, that the game law needs a little fixing.

One person said he had been under the doctor's care for some time and the doctor kept telling him to use wild game in the way of meat. As he wants to be a law abiding citizen he can't kill any game but jack rabbits. They even want the robbins for song birds. They might as well protect the rabbits to raise race horses or mules. They are right about this game law. It just causes many of our boys and men of good standing as far as being law abiding citizens to break the laws. Living where there are no meat markets the people can't get fresh meat unless they can kill game when they get time to hunt or fish. It looks to the country people like the game law was made just to please the sporting men and the people who go out during the summer vacations, just when the ranchers are the busiest at work, Some of them shoot anything that jumps up from a rat to a cow or a horse. If the game laws are not changed the people had all better put up trespass notices, and keep them up and have some say about who kills the game.

What were game and fish put on this earth for anyway but the use of man? I have never yet seen in the good book where it said anything about when this game should be used.

Look at the money spent (just like throwing it away) trying to protect the game and still it goes.

Furthermore I, as well as many others, would like to see the game laws voted on by the people and give them a voice in the matter. Our laws should be made for the people by the people. TRIXY.

### Meet at Santa Rosa.

At the meeting of the Mendocino-Sonoma Amateur Athletic league held in Santa Rosa Saturday evening it was decided to hold the next field day in Santa Rosa about April 23rd. Professor Sweet presided over the meeting and the delegates present were: Russell Smith, Santa Rosa high school; J. W. Foster, Petaluma high school and C. L. Hoag, Ukiah high school. Professor Sweet was re-elected president and C. L. Hoag secretary. The team winning the highest number of points at the field day will be awarded a handsome silver cup and medals will be awarded the contestants. The financial report showed a balance of $26:30 in the treasury.

### Modern Machine.

One of the latest model book type writers has been installed in the clerks office. It will be a great aid in the office work and will also add to the looks of the records.

## THAT PUDDING CREEK BRIDGE

The site for the new bridge across Pudding creek, near Fort Bragg, as selected by the viewers, was approved by Supervisors Fairbanks and Rawles last week. The old bridge is worn out and in a bad condition and is inadequate for the amount of travel it has to bear. It is understood that these gentlemen will recommend a double track bridge at the next meeting provided the City of Fort Bragg will build the south approach from Main street, which will be in the city limits. It is understood that this proposition has been favorably considered by the town council.

### Indian Customs Studied.

Dr. Hudson left last week for Albuqurque, New Mexico, where he will meet general superintendent Dr. Dorsey, of the Field Columbian museum of Chicago. Dr. Hudson has been collecting baskets and other things manufactured by the Indian tribes of the Pacific slope for this museum for sometime past. A buck and squaw from twelve tribes are taken to Albuqurque each year that the different tribal customs and arts may be studied and their work exhibited. Jeff Dick and wife were taken last year and would have gone this year but for the recent trouble at the Beattie rancheria. A. O. Carpenter states that if the letter notifying them to come had arrived a week sooner the states prison would have missed one victim, for a while at least.

### The New History.

The new state grammar school histories of the United States arrived from Sacramento this week. In accordance of article 1874 of the school law, Superintendent Barbee has been busy mailing them to the various school districts. The law provides that at least one copy shall be sent to each school district for the library. The books are charged to the various districts.

## FILE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

Articles of incorportion of the Mendocino Electric Light and Power company have been filed in the clerk's office. The company has purchased the plant at Mendocino and will furnish light to the coast towns. The principal place of business will be at Mendocino, the charter running for fifty years. The capital stock consists of 2500 shares of a par value of $10 each. The directors are: J. W. Rushing, Albion; Albert Brown, Mendocino; W. B. Coombs, Littleriver; C. J. Wood, Caspar; J. Grindle, Mendocino; J. M. Garvin, Mendocino; Byron Clark, Mendocino.

The following parties are given as stock holders: Byron Clark, Albert Brown, P. Maxwell, A. G. Stone. Jno. Silvia, 100 shares each; J. Grindle, 90; J. M. Garvin, 70; Lena Flanagan, 30; C. Nystrom, 25; Mrs. P. M. McClelland, J. Silvia, 20; C. A. Peterson, 15; M. S. Sarowski, R. H. Coombs, J. Flanagan, J. D. Johnson, N. P. Anderson, W. T. Wallace, F. W. Stickney, Mrs. E. A. Grindle, Kerr & Rushing, W. B. Coombs, S. W. Coombs, J. C. Rice, C. J. Wood and A. B Merrill, 10 each.

### Horse Crippled.

A slide occurred on the road above Fort Brown Wednesday morning that came near wrecking the Upper Lake stage. When driver Owsley came to it he saw where a light rig had gone over and concluded to risk it. He would have made it safely but for a sharp rock that was concealed in the debris. One of the horses came in contact with it and cut his right foreleg so badly that he may have to be killed. The other horses became frightened and mired down causing a short delay.

## AT CLOVERDALE'S CITRUS FAIR

Between 600 and 700 people from Ukiah and vicinity availed themselves of the opportunity to visit the Cloverdale citrus fair last Saturday. Willits contributed its quota, and the stations down the railroad furnished large numbers of happy people bound for the citrus exhibit, so when Cloverdale was reached the twelve cars of the excursion train were crowded to their utmost capacity.

At the depot the train was met by a large delegation of Cloverdale citizens headed by the citrus fair band. The pavilion was at once the goal for which the visitors headed, and it was certainly a most beautiful sight that greeted the Mendocinoites. Aside from the prodigous wealth of golden fruit on display, there were many artistic displays that elicited unstinted praise from everybody. The Asti colony's miniature winetank, the Preston store, the church, the gold mine, the crescent, and many other meritorious exhibits came in for their full share of commendation.

The display of olives, olive oil, nuts, apples, pears, etc., formed a pleasing part of the exhibiton, and was a valuable advertisement of northern Sonoma's diversified resources.

Toward night the gentle rain succeeded in dampening everything but the enthusiasm of the immense crowd. The Willits and Cloverdale bands dispensed music galore, President Sbarboro, of the Asti colony, delivered an appreciative address, and after a last promenade among the golden beauties, the Mendocino contingent skurried to the train through the drizzling rain. An hour's ride brought the Ukiahites home, wet, bedraggled, tired and hungry—but every one glad to have been there. The prizewinners were as follows:

First prize, most artistic display of citrus fruits and 500,000 gallon wine tank of Italion-Swiss colony; second prize, Preston store, by Connel & Wilhelm; third prize, Episcopal church by Mrs. L. Domine; fourth prize, jockey emblem by H. J. Crocker.

Artistic display of oranges—First prize, old oaken bucket and well by Woman's Christian Temperance Union; second prize, Klondike sled by R. F. Green.

Artistic display of lemons—First prize, bee hive, by Mrs. Callaham; second prize, fleur de lis, by Alice Caldwell.

Display of greatest variety of citrus fruits—First prize, Hagmayer, second prize, Mrs. I. E. Shaw.

Orange clusters—First prize, D. L. Beebe.

Sweepstakes, most effective and elaborate citrus display—Half million gallon wine tank by Italian-Swiss Colony. Best fruits in quantities, one box or more, Washington navels—First prize, Mrs. W. A. Appleton; second prize, H. H. Hubbard; third prize, Cloverdale Orange Company. Malta bloods—First prize, Mrs. F. Poole; second prize, Miss Alice Caldwell. Lemons—First prize, Mrs. W. A. Appleton; second prize, Mrs. F. Poole. Best fruit in small quantities, not less than twenty-four, Washington navels—Cloverdale Orange Company. Jappas—First prize, Mrs. J. P. Whitaker. Japanese—First prize, G. Hagmayer. Valencia lates—First prize, G. Hagmayer. Villa Franca lemons—First prize, Mrs. E. Preston; second prize, W. T. Brush. Sicily lemons—First prize, Mrs. E. Preston; second prize, Mrs. F. Poole. Lisbon lemons—First prize, A. Caughey. Pomelos—First prize, Yordi Merchantile Company. Citrons—First prize, Mrs. C. Worth. Olive oil—First prize, Mrs. J. A. Kleiser. Pickled olives—First prize, Dr. A. M. Coomes.

John Issac, clerk of the state horticultural commission, and Alexander Craw, first deputy commissioner, were the judges on the quality of the fruit and Clarice Towne and Leah Spaulding were judges of artistic display.

# "Go West,

Ranch it and rough it and you'll soon get rid of that weak chest and that hacking cough." That is what the doctor said to a young married man with a wife and child to care for and a modest salary to support them on. He *couldn't* go West. Love and duty tied him to his desk in the city.

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# THE STROLLERS

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per watched them disappearing in the throng of dancers. It was Celestina's first ball, and after her long training at the Castiglione institute she danced divinely. Something like a pang shot through the soldier's breast as he followed the pair with his gaze. He seemed looking backward into a world of youth and pleasure, passed beyond recall.

"It is useless to deny it! I knew you when I first saw you!" exclaimed a familiar voice near by, and, turning around sharply, the officer observed approaching a masked lady, graceful of figure and lacking nothing in the numerical strength of her escort. It was to her that these words were addressed by an agile man of medium stature who had apparently penetrated her disguise. The lady, who would have attracted attention anywhere by her bearing, wore a pardessus of white gauze, fitting close and bordered with a silver band, the sleeves short, the skirt of white gauze and very ample, as the fashion of the day required; the feet shod in small white silk bottines, the hair in bands, ornamented with wild poppies. Altogether this costume was described by Phazma as "ravishing, the gown adorning the lady and the lady the gown, her graces set forth against the sheen of voluminous satin folds, like those of some portrait by Sir Joshua or Gainsborough."

"How could you expect any one not to know you?" continued the speaker as this little coterie drew near, their masks a pretext for mystery. "You may impersonate, but you cannot deceive."

"That is a poor compliment, since you take me for an actress," laughed the lady. A hilarious outburst from

*She looked with blanched face toward the spot.*

an ill assorted cluster of maskers behind them drowned his reply, and the lady and her attendants passed on.

Saint-Prosper drew his breath sharply. "She is here, after all," he said to himself.

"A nostrum for jilted beaus!" called out a mountebank, seeing him standing there preoccupied, alone, at the same time tendering a pill as large as a plum. A punchinello jarred against him with, "Pardonnez moi, pardie!" On the perfumed air the music swelled rapturously. A waltz, warm with the national life of Vienna—the swan song of Lanner! Softly, sweetly breathed "Die Schonbrunner;" faster whirled the moving forms. Eyes flashed more brightly, little feet seemed born for dancing; cheeks, pale at midday, were flushed with excitement. "Why doesn't he dance? wondered the lady with the white lamb. Carnival comes but once a year—a mad, merry time, when gayety should sweep all cares out of doors!

"Said Strephon to Chloe, 'For a kiss
I'll give thee the choice of my flock.'
Said Chloe to Strephon, 'What bliss,
If you'll add to the gift a new smock,'"

hummed the lively nymph as she tripped by.

"Said Chloe to Strephon, 'For a kiss
I'll return thee the choice of your flock.'
Said Strephon to Chloe, 'What bliss;
With it I'll buy Phyllis a new frock,'"

she concluded, throwing a glance over her shoulder.

A sudden distaste for the festal ferment, the laughter and merriment, a desire to escape from the very exuberance of high spirits and cheer led the soldier to make his way slowly from the ballroom to the balcony, where, although not removed from the echoes of liveliness within, he looked out upon the quietude of the night. Overhead stretched the sky, a measureless ocean, with here and there a silvery star like the light on a distant ship; an unfathomable sea of ether that beat down upon him. Radiant and serene in the boundless calm of the heavens the splendent lanterns seemed suspended on stationary craft peacefully rocked at anchor. Longings, suppressed through months of absence, once more found full sway. Susan's words were recalled by the presence of the count.

Suddenly the song of "Die Schonbrunner" ceased within, and as its pulsations became hushed many of the dancers, an elate, buoyant throng, sought the balcony. Standing in the shadow near the entrance, aroused from a train of reflections by this abrupt exodus, the soldier saw among the other merrymakers Constance and the count, who passed through the door, so near he could almost have touched her.

"Here she is," said the count as they approached an elderly lady seated near the edge of the balcony. "Ah, madam," he continued to the latter, "if you would only use your good offices in my behalf! Miss Carew is cruelty itself."

"Why, what has she done?" asked the good gentlewoman.

"Insisted upon deserting the ballroom!"

"In my day," said the elderly ally of the nobleman, "you could not drag the young ladies from cotillon or minuet, and the men would stay till the dawn to toast them!"

"And I've no doubt, madam, your name was often on their lips," returned the count gallantly, who evidently believed in the Spanish proverb:

Woo the duenna, not the maid;
Then in love the game's well played.

The ally in his cause made some laughing response which the soldier did not hear. Himself unseen, Saint-Prosper bent his eyes upon the figure of the young girl, shadowy but obvious in the reflected light of the bright constellations. Even as he gazed her hand removed the mask, revealing the face he knew so well. In the silence below the fountain tinkled ever so loudly as she stood, half turned toward the garden, a silken head covering around her shoulders, the head outlined without adornment save the poppies in her hair.

Her presence recalled scenes of other days—the drive from the races when her eyes had beamed so softly beneath the starry luster. Did she remember? He dared not hope so; he did not. To him it brought also harsher memories, yet his mind was filled most with her beauty, which appeared to gloss over all else and hold him, a not impassive spectator, to the place where she was standing. She seemed again Juliet, the Juliet of inns and schoolhouse stages, the Juliet he had known before she had come to New Orleans, whose genius had transformed the barren stage into a garden of her own creation.

And yet something made her different. An indefinable new quality appeared to rest upon her. He felt his heart beating faster. He was glad he had come. For the moment he forgot his jealousy in watching her, as with new wealth of perfume the languid breeze stirred the tresses above her pallid, immovable features. But the expression of confidence with which the count was regarding her, although ostensibly devoting himself to her companion, renewed his inquietude.

Had she allowed herself to be drawn into a promised alliance with that titled roue? Involuntarily the soldier's face grew hard and stern. The count's tactics were so apparent—flattering attention to the elderly gentlewoman and a devoted but reserved bearing toward the young girl in which he would rely upon patience and perseverance for the consummation of his wishes. But certainly Constance did not exhibit marked preference for his society. On the contrary, she had hardly spoken to him since they had left the ballroom. Now, clasping the iron railing of the balcony, she leaned farther out. The flowers of the vine clambering up one of the supports swayed gently around her, and she started at the moist caress on her bare arm.

"It is cold here," she said, drawing back.

"Allow me—your wrap!" exclaimed the count, springing to her side with great solicitude.

But she adjusted the garment without his assistance.

"You must be careful of your health for the sake of your friends," accompanying the words with a significant glance.

"The count is right," interposed the elderly gentlewoman, "as he usually is," she added, laughing.

"Oh, madam," he said, bowing, "Miss Carew does not agree with you, I am sure," turning to the girl.

"I haven't given the matter any thought," she replied coldly. She shivered slightly, nervously, and looked around.

At that moment the lights were turned on in the garden—another surprise arranged by the Mistick Krewe—illuminating trees and shrubbery and casting a sudden glare upon the balcony.

"Bravo!" said the count. "It's like a fete champetre! And hear the mandolins! Tra-la-la-la-la! Why, what is it?"

She had given a sudden cry and stood staring toward the right at the back of the balcony. Within, the orchestra once more began to play, and, as the strains of music were wafted to them, a host of masqueraders started toward the ballroom. When the inflow of merrymakers had ceased, bewildered, trembling, she looked with blanched face toward the spot where the soldier had been standing, but he was gone.

At that moment the cathedral clock began to strike—twelve times it sounded, and at the last stroke the Mistick Krewe, one by one, began to disappear, vanishing as mysteriously as they had come. Pluto, Proserpine, the fates, fairies and harpies; Satan, Beelzebub, the dwellers in pandemonium, the aids to appetite, all took their quick departure, leaving the musicians and the guests of the evening, including the visiting military, to their own pleasures and devices. The first carnival had come to a close.

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## BURIAL CUSTOMS.

**The Various Methods Used In the Disposal of the Dead.**

The disposal of the dead among civilized nations has usually consisted of one of the following three ways: Firstly, of closing up the body in earth or stone; secondly, of burning the body and committing to earth the ashes, and, thirdly, the embalming of the body. The earliest form of interment of which we have any account was that of the paleolithic cave dwellers, who buried their dead in natural grottoes and crevices in the rock similar to those in which they had lived.

When we come to the later stone age we find that the people throughout Europe buried in chambered barrows and cairns. Next comes the bronze age, with its changes, and among others the burial of the dead. The chambered barrows passed away, and in their places barrows were frequently used without chambers, and cemeteries of stone cists set in the ground were largely employed. Frequently a natural eminence of sand or gravel was the place assigned for burial, and around it were circles of standing stones. During these prehistoric times cremation was also practiced side by side with the simple interments of the people. In pagan times it was customary, whether the dead were buried with or without cremation, to put in their graves such articles as urns or vessels of clay, bronze, gold or glass, clothing, personal ornaments, implements and weapons of warfare.

Cremation was largely abolished when Christianity spread over the country, and the interment of grave goods was restricted to kings and priests, who continued to be buried in their royal and sacerdotal robes and with their insignia of office.

Down to the tenth century cremation was customary among the tribes located along the Volga. Here also human sacrifices in honor of the dead prevailed. Records of eyewitnesses of the horrible ceremonies have come down to us. Charlemagne prohibited this usage among the conquered Saxons under pain of death. In India the living widow was in many instances down to 1829 burned with the corpse of her husband.

## NAMES OF FABRICS.

Muslin is named for Mosul, in Asia.

Serge comes from Xerga, the Spanish for a certain sort of blanket.

Bandanna is derived from an Indian word signifying to bind or tie.

Calico is named for Calicut, a town in India, where it was first printed.

Alpaca is the name of a species of llama from whose wool the genuine fabric is woven.

The name damask is an abbreviation of Damascus; satin is a corruption of Zaytown, in China.

Velvet is the Italian "vellute," woolly, and is traceable farther back to the Latin vellus, a hide or pelt.

Shawl is from the Sanskrit sala, which means floor, shawls having been first used as carpet tapestry.

Cambric comes from Cambrai, gauze from Gaza, baize from Bajac, dimity from Dametta and jeans from Jean.

Blanket bears the name of Thomas Blanket, a famous English clothier who aided the introduction of woolens into England in the fourteenth century.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

**Family Dissensions.**

Dissension in families often arises from a lack of mutual consideration among the members of the family. The "soft answer that turneth away wrath" is forgotten for the hasty reply, the unkind retort, that kindle the fire of ill feeling. Love does not linger in the home where rudeness shows its unlovely qualities. It chooses to dwell in the home where the spirit of unselfishness, of self control, of thoughtfulness and of charitableness makes the atmosphere sweet. The woman who is quick to take offense is not like her of whom Holy Scripture says, "Her ways are ways of pleasantness, and all her paths are peace." Happy homes depend on happy hearts. Home is distinctively a woman's sphere, and she who sweetens it most makes earth nearer heaven.


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**A Bret Harte Story.**

Bret Harte was once asked in London if he did not exaggerate some of his western character creations. He declared that he did not and told this true story, which he had always feared to put into print: A well known desperado came into a saloon, and of course those who knew him had business elsewhere at once. An English tenderfoot remained, and the bad man invited him to drink. The Britisher innocently said he did not care to do so, a dangerous remark to make in those days, whereupon the desperado wearily reached for his gun and said in a tired sort of way, "Can't I ever have a drink without killing a man?"

**On the Installment Plan.**

Mrs. Browne—Oh, what lovely wedding presents! Such beautiful silverware and such rare china! Wasn't it nice to get such presents?

Mrs. Greene—Yes, it was, but we are now beginning to pay for them on the installment plan.

Mrs. Browne—Pay for them? On the installment plan? Why, Mrs. Greene, what do you mean?

Mrs. Greene—Why, the young people who gave us wedding presents are getting married, and we have to send them wedding presents.—Lippincott's.

**Another Word For It.**

"Henry," said Mrs. Smudgers, glancing over the front page of the newspaper, "what do they mean when they say that one train telescoped another?"

"They mean, my dear, that it rushed right into it. It is a bad kind of collision."

"Collision? Then why don't they call it a collideoscope instead of a telescope?"—Kansas City Journal.

**The Great Game of Chance.**

"But why," asked the authorities, "are you young women so interested in this antigambling crusade?"

"Because," was the reply, "if we succeed marriage will be the only game of chance left open to the men."—Chicago Post.

**No Cajolery About It.**

"Why did you let that girl cajole you into subscribing for her book?"

"Cajole me! She didn't cajole me. She just looked into my eyes and drew one or two long breaths."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Los Angeles—Peter Koxas, a Spaniard, graduate of Madrid university who some time ago successfully deceived the government officials at Haskell institute, Lawrence, Kans., by palming off on them a number of Mexicans for Indians, has just been declared insane.

Santa Rosa—Something of a sensation has been caused in Clear Lake, Lake county, by the death of Andrew Miller, a 9-year-old boy, which, it is said, resulted from being beaten about the head with a baseball bat in the hands of Ray Butler, a school companion, while he was being held down on the ground at the mercy of his assailants by Jodie Tinker and Borie Hy-


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| Week-days. | Sun-days. | To and From | Sun-days. | Week days. |
| 5:50 am<br>1:30 pm | 6:00 am<br>2:15 pm | San Francisco<br>San Rafael<br>Petaluma<br>Santa Rosa<br>Healdsburg<br>Lytton<br>Cloverdale and Intermediates | 1:15 p m<br>8:20 p m | 12:30 p m<br>8:20 pm |
| 5:50 am<br>1:30 pm | 6:00 am<br>2:15 pm | Glen Ellen<br>Sonoma<br>and<br>Intermediates | 1:15 p m<br>8:20 p m | 12:30 p m<br>8:20 pm |
| 5:50 am<br>1:30 pm | 6:00 am<br>2:15 pm | Sebastopol<br>and<br>Intermediates | 1:15 p m<br>8:20 p m | 12:30 p m<br>8:20 pm |
| 5:50 am<br>1:30 pm | 6:00 am<br>2:15 pm | Guerneville<br>and<br>Intermediates | 1:15 p m<br>8:20 p m | 12:30 p m<br>8:20 pm |
| 12:40 p | 2:20 pm | Willits | 1:55 pm | 12:15 p m |

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## MENTIONED PERSONALLY

G. A. Keller was down from Willits Wednesday.

Gardner Toney is busy beautifying the court yard.

George Ells has removed from Hopland to Ukiah.

Archie Beattie came over from Witter this week.

Attorney J. C. Ruddock visited San Francisco last week.

H. Lay leaves tomorrow for a week's visit in San Francisco.

Wm. Ornbaun and family spent Sunday visiting at Cloverdale.

Game Commissioner D. M. Lowe of Hopland was in town this week.

Mrs. F. A. Houston has been quite ill this week with heart trouble.

B. Cosgrove, one of the lessees of the Marks, was in town last week.

H. P. Buckman, a prosperous Hoplander, was in this city Wednesday.

Miss Gussie Elder left this morning for Christine where she will open school.

S. D. McKesson spent several days in San Francisco last week on a business visit.

Fred Halling, of Mendocino, came up from San Francisco Wednesday on his way home.

G. S. Stenhouse of San Francisco spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. Mrs. B. M. Bucknell.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Hopper returned Monday from an extended visit to Santa Rosa.

*Limburger cheese at Waugh's.*

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cunningham returned Saturday after an extended visit to San Francisco.

Tax Collector Wright has been confined to his home this week by an attack of rheumatism.

A. M. Baily made a visit to Potter this week. There must be some extraction for the young man.

N. E. Hoak of East Berkeley visited in town this week. Mr. Hoak was formerly a resident of Comptche.

Attorney J. Milton Mannon of San Francisco visited his parents Judge and Mrs. Mannon Sunday and Monday.

Game Warden Lowe is a very active personage these days and is striking terror to the hearts of infractors of the laws.

R. Cleveland, the cancer specialist, was in Wednesday and took Seth Williams out to his sanitarium for treatment.

The river is reported to have been higher than known for years at Hopland Wednesday morning. No damage is reported.

*Unfermented wine found only at Waugh's*

The supply of government seeds received at this office has been exhausted. A few packages still remain at the post office.

He was sure that "Old Gilt Edge" whisky always was good for him because he had "inside" information. Wichman, Lutgen & Co., S. F.

Harry McElroy, Johnny Keller, Gunnar Spjuth and Shandy Vincent were noticed among the Willitsites who visited Cloverdale Saturday.

Even the wire guards around the electric lights at the high school appear not to protect them. One has been reported broken already.

Lou Gottie was arrested last week for spearing steel heads on the Gualala. He was taken to Santa Rosa where he plead guilty and was fined $20.

Miss Anna L. Rowe and Miss Nellie R. Butman, of San Francisco, have opened a millinery store in the McGlashan building, They have an elegant line of spring and summer hats including all the latest Parisian styles.

S. S. McGarvey visited Santa Rosa Tuesday.

James Kinslow was up from Santa Rosa this week.

Frank Sandelin, the genial Fort Bragg hotel man had business in town this week.

Dolph Jamison was over Saturday from his resort.

J. A. Voorhees of Fort Bragg spent Saturday in town.

Mrs. Spidel left for a visit to San Francisco Wednesday.

Charles Crawford of Largo had business in town Monday.

Lourie McGarvey has accepted a position in Santa Rosa.

Miss Fannie Noble has recovered from her recent indisposition.

Mrs. William Wiegand, of Willits, passed through town Monday.

D. T. Johnson, a prominent Covelo rancher spent Monday in town.

The finest line of iron bedsteads at the Ukiah Mercantile company.

C. A. McComber, the mill man, came up from San Francisco Sunday.

Dolph Jamison visited San Francisco this week, returning Tuesday.

M. V. Kilburne was down from Potter valley Saturday on a business visit.

The Savings Bank of Mendocino county is now adorned with a very neat sign.

Mrs. Al Frehe returned this week from a visit to Petaluma and neighboring towns.

J. L. Haywards, formerly of this city, has gone into the saloon business at St. Helena.

Mrs. J. W. Heap returned Saturday evening from a two months visit in San Francisco.

J. T. Eldredge, W. Petersen and E. Prather of Philo visited this city during the week.

Lee Auten, a Willits realestate man, passed through town Monday on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Heap are expecting to move to San Francisco in the near future.

Charles Thomas, manager of the Van Arsdale ranch in Walker valley visited town Tuesday.

Attorney Bledsoe returned home last Friday after spending three weeks in San Jose on business.

A social dance was given in Wilson & York's opera house Monday night in honor of Will Hagans.

E. F. Wentworth of Oakland is visiting his claim on Pine ridge. He is a son of D. R. Wentworth.

William McCormick, a welknown woodsman was in town Monday on his way home from a trip to Redwood city.

Attorney Chas. M. Mannon visited San Francisco last week on legal business. He was accompanied by his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beattie of Laytonville are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Beattie of this city. They may conclude to locate here.

Will York left Monday morning for Pasadena where his wife has been stopping for several months in hopes of improving her health.

Jesse Moxham, the Singer sewing machine agent, returned this week from Fort Bragg. He reports a lively business in the machine line.

Geo. L. McPherson, a large timber owner and secretary and treasurer of the Southern Humboldt Lumber company, spent Monday in this city.

Miss Fassett, the deaconess of the Methodist Episcodal church left last week after assisting in conducting a five weeks' revival service in this city.

F. D. Maltman, 56 and Lydia A. Bell 60, both of Healdsburg, secured a license to wed in Santa Rosa Friday. Mr. Maltman was formerly a resident of Anderson valley and is well known throughout the county.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McCracken left for Sacramento last Friday where they were summoned by the news of the death of Mrs. McCracken's father.

Frank C. Bishop, of San Francisco, visited Rev. and Mrs. Bolster this week. Mr. Bishop is an employee in the clerical department of the Southern Pacific.

Mrs. Dave Cook of Willits has been quite ill for some time past. She was taken to San Francisco Saturday where she will undergo treatment at St. Lukes hospital.

Will Hagans spent several days in town this week on a business and pleasure visit. Will has a fine position with Weinstock & Lubin in Sacramento being one of the head clerks in the clothing department.

## THE FEAST OF FIRE FIGHTERS

Last Wednesday evening the fire department met at Sanford's hall, after their regular meeting where an excellent spread, had been prepared for them. On arriving at the hall they were met by Price Dinwiddie, the head waiter, who during the course of the evening, showed himself to be a first class waiter and much of the success of the banquet is due to him.

The boys of the hook and ladder company and hose company No. 2 took possession of one of the tables and assisted by the "noble three" succeeded in carrying off the honors of the evening and most of the honors of the table. Our worthy chief, who by ill fortune was assigned to the other table, was cheered heartily by all the boys who think their chief is all right.

In short the feed lasted short but all pronounced themselves fully satisfied both outside and in before the final whistle blew for us to mount the ladders and adjourn to the other part of the hall where the remainder of the evening was spent by all taking part in an interesting program. In this part L. P. Anker, head spokesman for the "noble three," distinguished himself as an orator and speiler of hard words.

Our canary bird, Bub Meyers, rendered several songs that added to the enjoyment of the hour. The junior quartet, led by that sweet voiced singer, Rev. Stiggins, also favored us with a few of their choicest selections.

William Lucas and James Elder are both thinking of taking to the platform for they showed beyond a doubt that they will some day become great orators.

When the clock had chimed the midnight hour the boys took leave of the hall and some went home to dream of the morning and all the possibility that the dawning of the day might reveal. A FIREMAN.

### The Lecture Course.

Last Friday evening a lecture on "Education" was delivered in the Presbyterian church by the Rev. Geo. D. B. Stewart. This was the second lecture in the popular course which is now being given at that church. In the course of his remarks the speaker deprecated the undue prominence which was sometimes given to college athletes but still he was of the opinion that physical culture should be given a large place in the education of our children.

Referring to the ethical training he said that it was encouraging to know that our professors of pedagogy were laying increased emphasis on the necessity of securing the moral development of the pupils in our public schools.

The next lecture in the course will be delivered on Friday evening, March 4th, by Carl Purdy. The subject is one on which our esteemed townsman will be able to speak with interest and authority, "Luther Burbank and Plant Breeding."

### Lectured at Church.

Rev. Williams, P. E., of Napa district delivered a strong address on John Wesley at St. John's church Thursday evening. Rev. Williams has made himself very helpful to every charge on the district, preaching or lecturing nearly every night for his brethren of the ministry. How could Methodism get along with out this part of her machinery. Regular services on Sunday February 28, pastor using, "A Twofold View" as the subject for the morning service and "From Tent to Mayor's Chair" or "How to Get on in Life" for evening service.

### Valuable Book.

Dr. George McCowen is the possessor of a book valued at $3500. It is an ordinary sized volume of the Mysterious Island and the casual observer would probably pass it by as it is minus covers and the edges resemble charcoal. It is from this fact that it deceives the value as it was in the warehouse when it burned down. Mr. McCowen states that it cost him $3500 to put it in its present condition.

### Deputy Assessors.

Assessor Thomas reports that there will probably be very little change made in his list of deputies this year. E. C. Foushee has been appointed for the Fort Bragg district in the place of James Morrow, deceased.

Number one redwood pickets, posts and shakes for sale. Inquire of F. O. Scott, Calpella. 4t

## ABOUT TOWN AND COUNTY

A union labor party was organized in Santa Rosa Thursday.

FOR SALE —Ladies bicycle, fairly good condition, $5. Enquire at this office.

Joseph Spottswood was down from his home in Potter Saturday on a business visit.

Mrs. George Henry, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Perle, visited the city yesterday.

Mrs. Ed Cheseboro, who was called to Calistoga by the serious illness of her father returned this week.

The supreme court has decided the new charter of Santa Rosa was not legally adopted. It did not receive a majority of all the votes cast.

Burbank, the Sonoma county wizzard, has succeeded in producing a new potato. The meat of the tuber is said to be about the color of a carrot. It has a better flavor.

Wheat flour has advanced twenty cents a barrel as a result of the enormous demand of the export trade caused by the Russo-Japanese war.

Elmer Daw, of Hopland, and G. Yammel, of Cloverdale, were arrested for having venison in their possession last week. They enriched the state treasury to the extent of $50.

Dr. Derrick, the well known veterinary dentist and surgeon, will visit Elk, Albion, Mendocino, Fort Bragg and Westport the following week. Leave orders at Switzer stables.

One of the demimondes of Fort Bragg drove off the Pudding creek bridge last Wednesday night. The horses belonging to George Switzer's livery stable were drowned. The woman managed to escape.

William Anthes, the handsome employee of Wells Fargo spent several days in San Francisco this week visiting relatives and parents. He expects to bring his wife to this city in the near future.

Mendocino county was represented at the Iroquois club's Monday night banquet by the following braves: J. C. Ruddock, Robert Duncan, John Cunningham, J. B. Sanford, George McMullen and E. G. Case.

Slot machines have received their death blow in Sonoma county. District Attorney Pond has issued a circular stating that any machines found in operation after March 15 will cause trouble for their owners.

E. E. Holbrook, the genial Potter valley merchant, has been in town for the past two weeks under treatment for a cornet lip. He is much improved and was accompanied to Cloverdale Sunday by his wife and took in the citrus fair.

Dr. B. Bernard, the famous occulist, will visit this city next week remaining from Monday noon to Tuesday noon. He has offices in the Hutchison residence, phone number 174. While here this week he fitted glasses for a number of prominent residents.

Mrs. Lawrence F. Moore, a well known baritone soloist of San Francisco, will sing at the M. E. Church, south, Sunday morning. The male quartette will furnish the music for the evening service. The subjects for the pastor's sermons are, "Ups and Downs of Life," and a sermon to Young Men.

### The Season's Rainfall.

Dr. Geo. McCowen reports the season's rainfall as 36.85 inches. For the month 16.47 inches. One inch of rain had fallen since last night, at 8 a. m.

### Dairy and Stock Ranches Wanted.

Is your ranch for sale? Do you want to sell promptly? Send decription and your closest price. We have numerous inquiries for such properties, several just received. We can send you a buyer.

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### To The Public.

I wish to say to the public that the remainder of my stock of groceries and fixtures is for sale as a whole or by the piece. It will be to the advantage of those wishing anything in my line to call early.

C. B. Hopkins, Ukiah Cal.

## BORROWED FROM OUR EXCHANGES

All the loose logs on Big river and tributary streams came down Monday and Monday night, making approximately 18,000 logs.—Beacon.

The storm the first of the week took out the Albion railroad bridge spanning the main south fork of the Albion river seven miles above Albion. Two and a half miles of track are also reported washed away.—Beacon.

Six and three hundredths inches of rain fell during the storm of last week and up to Monday night of this week, and as a consequence the river raised to an unusual height. Above Perkins' camp the river raised fully twenty feet and at the camp there were but few inhabitable houses, the water being from a foot to four feet deep in many of them. The men stayed up all night and a boat was pressed into service to relieve those who were in any danger.—Beacon.

Frank Fanier, known throughout the county as "Portuguese Frank" is without doubt the oldest man in Mendocino county. Last Sunday he celebrated his one hundred and fifth birthday at Melburn and although he declares that he will not live a year longer it is doubted by those who visited him on his birthday when he arose and favored them with a short waltz besides waiting on those who gathered at his saloon until late evening. Mr. Fanier was among the first white men on this coast and had, as all those who arrived here at such an early date, to endure many hardships. Still he carries his age remarkably well, his eyesight being very good and his memory wonderful. —Beacon.

The Mendocino Electric Light & Power compaey has been formed. Messrs. J. Grindle, A. Brown, J. M. Garvin, Byron Clark of Mendocino; C. J. Wood, Caspar; R. B. Coombs, Littleriver and J. W. Rushing, Albion, representiug the forty stockholders, met Thursday night and agreed upon many of the details of the new company and sent on to Sacramento for their charter. It is thought that Mr. Grindle will be made president. The new company will be capitalized at $25,000, divided into 2500 shares at the par value of $10 each. About 1,400 shares have been taken.—Beacon.

### Philo News.

PHILO, February 18.—There was quite an enjoyable party at the residence of Mr. and M. A. Ray on the evening of the 17th, the occasion being the thirteenth birthday of their daughter, Pearl. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Braun, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Ruddock, Gordon and Milton Hunt, Ralph Gardener, Marian Dutro, Gene McCarthy, T. Prather, Lloyd and Coral Prather, Charlie Dovir, Clarence Harrison, Ella Eaten, Olive Eaten, Maud Harrison, Neva Harrison, Aivon Ray.

Miss Bertha McCallum is visiting in Boonville for a few days.

J. Peterson has gone to Haywards to visit his sister, Mrs. Hickmott.

George Cook has been very sick with measles but is reported better.

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And harassed by a bad cough? Use Ballard's Horehound Syrup. It will secure you sound sleep and effect a prompt and radical cure. 25c 50c and $1.00. Sold by the Hoffman Pharmacy, E. B. Gibson, Prop.

## PROCEEDINGS OF SUPERIOR COURT

Estate of Rench Angle, deceased—Order continuing hearing revoked. Final account of administrator allowed, approved and settled and J. E. Pemberton allowed $1150 for services as attorney for administrator

W. E. Tucker v F. L. Caughey—Order continuing until 10 a. m. February 29.

A. M. Mendenhall v and C. W. Tindall and M. L. Tindall—Judgment by court in favor of plaintiff.

Estate of Rufus Murphy deceased—Final account of administrator allowed and decree of distribution ordered.

Estate of Nathan Bartlett, deceased—Final account of administratrix allowed and family allowance increased to $50 commencing January 15, 1904.

J. M. King v Nancy M. Vincent—Judgment ordered for defendant, and plaintiff to take nothing by this action.

Estate of John Holm, deceased—Decree assigning whole of estate to widow. Estate of Charles Smith, deceased—Mrs. Amanda Smith administratrix. Bonds $100.

## BUSINESS LOCALS.

Premium seed potatoes at Lucas & Paxton's.

Poultry Wanted—Highest cash price paid at Lucas & Paxton's.

*Waugh's blended coffee has no equal in Ukiah.*

Choice Lake county alfalfa seed at Lucas & Paxton's. Any quantity.

Buy your Plymouthrock eggs of Mrs. W. H. White. Fifty cents a setting.

Have you seen our souvenir envelopes? Just the thing for your correspondence.

Those rockers at the Ukiah Mertile companys' look easy. They are cheap too.

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### Order to Show Cause.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

In the matter of the Estate of Matts Toppila, deceased.

Order to show cause why order of Sale of Real Estate should not be made.

It appearing to this Court, by the petition this day presented and filed by Brita Jansen, the Administratrix of the Estate of Matts Toppila, deceased, that it is necessary to sell the whole or some portion of the real estate of said decedent to pay the debts of decedent and the expenses and charges of administration.

It is therefore ordered by the Court that all persons interested in the estate of the said deceased appear before the said Superior Court on Monday, the 4th day of April, A. D., 1904, at the hour of 10 o'clock, A. M., of said day, at the Courtroom of said Court, at the Courthouse in the City of Ukiah, County of Mendocino, State of California, to show cause why an order should not be granted to said administratrix to sell so much of the said real estate as shall be necessary and that a copy of this order be printed and published four successive weeks in the REPUBLICAN PRESS, a newspaper printed and published in said county.

Dated this 25th day of February, A. D., 1904.

J. Q. WHITE,
Judge of the Superior Court.

Thos. Rhodes, Attorney for Administratrix.

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Grand Millinery Opening

On Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday

March 2, 3, 4 and 5, will open in the McGlashan building the finest line of Millinery ever shown in Mendocino county. We invite the ladies of Ukiah and vicinity to call and inspect our stock on the above dates.

We will give free of charge to each caller a chance in a $5 hat. Drawing to take place Saturday evening, March 5th.

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BARLEY—Choice No. 1 Feed, $1.11¼@$1.13¾; off grades, $1.08¾@1.10; Brewing No. 1, $1.15@1.24¼; Chevalier, nominal at $1.20@1.40.

CORN—Good to choice, per ctl: California, new, large Yellow, $1.37½@1.40; small do, nominal; White, $1.37½@1.40; Eastern, $1.30@1.35.

CRACKED CORN—Choice quality, per ton, $30@31.

OATS—Good to choice White, $1.27½@1.40; Red, $1.30@1.35; Black, nominal at $1.27½@1.40.

RYE—Good to choice, per ctl, $1.30@1.32

HAY—Per ton: Wheat, $16@18.50; Wheat and Oat, $16@18; Oat, $15@17.50; Barley, nominal; Clover, $13@14.50; Alfalfa, $13@14; Stock, nominal.

STRAW—Good to choice, per bale, 60@75c.

OILCAKE MEAL—$29.50@30.50.

FEED CORN MEAL—Choice grades, per ton, $29.50@30.50.

COCOANUT CAKE—$21@22.

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HONEY—New Comb, per lb, White, 10@12c; Amber, 8@10c; Extracted Water White, 5½@6c; Light Amber, 5@5½c; Dark Amber, 4½@5c.

DRIED FRUITS—Prices f.o.b, 1903 crop: Apples—Evaporated, 4@6c; Sun Dried, 3½@4½c.

Apricots—Royal, fancy, 9¼@10c; choice, 8½@9c; Moorpark, choice, 10@12c.

Peaches—Choice, 5¼@6¼c; fancy, 6½@7¼c; peeled, in bxs, 11@14c.

Pears—Nominal at 8@9c.

Plums—Pitted, 6@9c; unpitted, 2c.

Prunes—Four sizes, 60s to 100s, 2½@3c or Santa Clara; other sections, ¼@½c less

Nectarines—White, 4@5c; Red, 4@5c.

Figs—White, 3@4c; Black, 4@4½c.

RAISINS—2-crown loose Muscatels, 5¼c; 4-crown, 6½c; Seedless Loose Muscatels, 4½c; do, floated, 4½c; 2-crown Malaga, loose, 5c; 3-crown do, loose, 5¼c; Seedless Sultanas, unbleached, 4½c; Seedless Thompsons, unbleached, 5½. Layers, per 20-lb box—6-crown Imperial Clusters, $3; 3-crown London Layers, $1.35; 2-crown do, $1.25.

POTATOES—Per ctl: River Burbanks, $1.00@1.10; Early Rose, $1.00@1.10; River Reds, $1.00@1.10; Garnet Chile, 90c@$1.05; Salinas and Lompoc Burbanks, nominal; Oregon Burbanks, $1.15@1.30; Sweet Potatoes, $2.00@2.25.

ONIONS—Per ctl, Oregon, $2.35@2.50; Nevada, $2.75.

BUTTER—Per lb: Creamery, extras, 27c; Creamery, good to fancy, 24@26c; Dairy, extra, 22@23c; do, choice, 20@21c; Store, nominal; California Storage, 21@24c.

EGGS—Per doz: Ranch, selected large, 25c; do, good to choice, 24c; tSore, 22½@23½c; California Storage, nominal.

CHEESE—Per lb: California Creamery, mild new, extra, 12½13c; do, mild new, choice, 11@12c; Young America, 12@13c; Eastern, New York Cream, Cheddars and flats, new, 15@16c.

POULTRY—Old Roosters, per doz, $5.50@6.00, young Roosters, $6.00@6.50; Broilers, large, $5.00@5.50; do, small, $4.50@5.00; Hens, small, $5.50@6.50; large, $6.50@7.50; Ducks, per doz., old, $5.5@6.50; young, $6.50@7.50; Live Turkeys, per lb., 15@17c; Dressed Turkeys, per lb., 18@22c. Geese, per pair, $2@2.25; Goslings, $2@2.25; Pigeons, per doz, old, $1.25@1.50; squabs, $2.25@2.50.

CATTLE—Native Steers, 8½@9c; second quality, 8c; thin Steers, 7@7½c; No. 1 Cows and Heifers, 6¼@6¾; second quality, 5¼@6c; thin Cows and Heifers, 3½@5c; Bulls and Stags, 3½@4½c. Prices for all descriptions less 50 per cent for shrinkage.

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LAMBS—Fat Lambs, 4¾@5¼c per lb., live weight.

HOGS—Per lb: Hard grain fed, weighing alive 130 lbs and over, 5¼@5½c; weighing under 130, 5@5¼c; weighing 260 to [illegible] lbs, 4¾@5c; rough heavy, 4@4½c.

New York—Owing to several murders and suicides recently the authorities of Jersey City have declared war upon saloonkeepers who maintain [illegible] for women customers.


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# U. S. CRUISERS FIRE ON DUARTE

## Dominican Insurgents Fire On Marines While Landing Near Pajarito.

Paris, Feb. 22.—A dispatch from Santo Domingo says that the United States cruiser Columbia and the training ship Hartford have bombarded Durate, which is occupied by the insurgents.

Washington, Feb. 22.—Late last night the state department received a cablegram from Minister Powell, dated at Santo Domingo, February 16th, saying:

### Federal Forces Victorious.

"A decisive battle has been fought between the government forces and the insurgents. It extended over two days, and resulted in a victory for the government. The siege has been raised and the insurgents are in retreat."

San Domingo, Feb. 15.—The Clyde liner New York has arrived here, convoyed by the United States cruiser Newark, and Minister Powell instructed the captain of the vessel to discharge his cargo at the wharf. An agreement had been made by Minister Powell and Commander Miller with the insurgents and the government that neither party should fire while the New York was at the wharf discharging.

### Insurgents Fire on Cruiser.

The government kept this agreement, but the insurgents fired on the steamer and on a launch from the cruiser Columbia, which was entering the river. Eight rifle shots damaged the New York's wood work, endangering the lives of passengers and crew.

The commander of the United States warship then decided to shell Pajarito, near the city, the place occupied by the insurgents, and to land 300 marines with the object of punishing the insurgents for insulting the United States flag and damaging an American steamer.

### Ten Shells Fired.

The Newark approached and opened fire, discharging ten shells. The insurgents fired upon the marines while they were landing, wounding some of them. The marines returned the fire and the insurgents ran away.

The marines landed were divided into two columns and searched the houses, woods and bushes. They then followed the insurgents, who fired while the marines were reloading. The result of the bombardment is not known.

The New York left here for the roadstead after landing her cargo.

### Prevented From Landing.

All is now quiet and it is supposed that the insurgents have retreated a considerable distance. Reports from the interior are favorable to the government. Great misery exists in the city for want of food and the arrival of the Clyde line steamer is a great relief. The steamer could not land a portion of her cargo at Monte Cristi, being prevented from doing so by a Dominican warship.

## FOUR DAYS IN RIGGING.

### Schooner F. W. Howe Caught in Gale While Waterlogged.

Astoria, Or., Feb. 23.—The American schooner F. W. Howe, Captain Austin Keegan; owned in Port Townsend, and on her way from Ballard, Wash., to San Pedro with a cargo of railroad ties, went ashore at Seaview, Wash., a point on Long beach, ten miles north of Cape Disappointment, yesterday. She now lies in the breakers with a heavy sea pounding her to pieces. Two lives were lost and several of her crew injured.

Atlantic City, N. J., Feb. 23.—After battling with heavy seas for several hours yesterday, the captain and seven members of the crew of the three-masted schooner Oliver T. Whittier, lumber-laden, from Fernandina, Fla., for New York, were rescued by the life-saving crew of the Long Beach life-saving station.

The vessel went ashore sixteen miles north of Atlantic City. A heavy storm was raging and the crew had to cling to the rigging to save themselves. When the fog lifted, the life-savers, after heroic work, brought the crew ashore. The schooner probably will be a total loss.

## SIX MEN PERISH.

### Schooner Goes Ashore Off New York Harbor.

New York, Feb. 23.—Six men, including Captain Harvey McLean and Mate John McCumber, were lost yesterday in the wreck of the three-masted schooned Benjamin C. Cromwell, off this port. Two men of the eight on board came ashore on bits of wreckage and were taken to the life-saving station.

The Benjamin C. Cromwell was a Portland, Me., schooner from Charleston, S. C., for Halifax with pine. Attempt after attempt of the life savers to reach the wreck was unsuccessful.

The British steamer Micmac, which arrived yesterday from Huelva, brought into port seven shipwrecked seamen, the captain and crew of the Maine lumber schooner Willie L. Newton, which they abandoned at sea in latitude 37 degrees 30 minutes, longitude 72 degrees eight minutes. The steamer York Castle, which arrived yesterday, had previously lost two seamen drowned in an attempt to rescue the crew of the wrecked vessel.

# WANTED TO SEE THE PRESIDENT

## Crank Who Failed to Recieve Reply to His Letters Arrested.

Washington, Feb. 23.—Edward Relgar, who gave his address as Chicago, has been arrested at the White House and locked up, pending an inquiry into his mental condition.

Reglar evidently is of unbalanced mind. He has written many letters to the president, suggesting that people be named in accordance with their occupations. Thus he maintains that a dealer in wood should be named Wood, a carpenter should be named Carpenter, and so on throughout the list. He said that the present scheme of naming people has caused a war among the flies, which may be ended only by the adoption of his suggestion.

For many weeks the secret service officers have been on the lookout for Relgar, and when he appeared he was promptly placed in custody.

Relgar desired to see the president to ascertain why his letters had not been answered. When he was searched a loaded revolver and a box of cartridges were found in his pockets. The officers had no difficulty in geting him away from the White House. He was then taken to police headquarters, where he was turned over to the authorities. Relgar says he is a miner and railroad man. He arrived here Saturday night.

An examination of Relgar's effects disclosed copies of several letters he had written to the president and some documents indicating that he was interested in patent devices.

## WRECKED BY EXPLOSION.

### A Locomotive, Coach and Station Completely Destroyed.

Bakersfield, Feb. 23.—The engine attached to the westbound Santa Fe limited took fire yesterday while stopping at the Tehachapi station on the joint track of the Southern Pacific and Santa Fe. The engien was an oil-burner and the oil caught fire between the tank and engine. An explosion followed, wrecking the locomotive and setting fire to a handsome composite coach immediately behind. Both were destroyed.

From these the flames spread to the depot, a frame structure, which burned rapidly and was entirely consumed. There was a large amount of powder in the sitation building, and when this exploded it was feared the fire would spread to the town and completely destroy it, as it has no fire protection and is mostly of frame. The fire, however, did not get beyond the railroad property.

## PACIFIC COAST NOTES

San Francisco—D. Moran's grocery store was held up Saturday night by a masked robber, who, after lining up the occupants of the place, secured between $40 and $50 and escaped.

San Diego—Three men were badly injured at the Spreckels wharf by the fall of a scaffold on which they were engaged in painting the office building of the Spreckels Commercial company.

Los Angeles—Thomas D. Mott, a prominent pioneer and capitalist of Southern California, is dead of heart disease at the age of 75 years. He leaves a widow, a daughter and four sons.

Oakland—Charlos R. Lloyd, the Berkeley capitalist, who was shot by his nephew, William Boxall, in San Bernardino several months ago and subsequently died in Japan, left an estate valued at more than half a million.

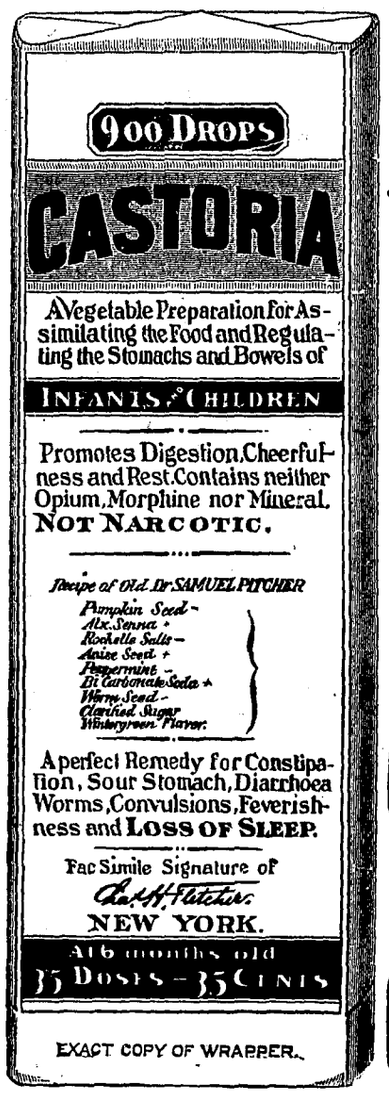
Santa Rosa—As a result of differences of opinion between the board of health of the colty of Petaluma and the board of trustees of that place the former has been summarily dismissed from office and another board of health appointed.

Oakland—F. W. Permien, one of the last sea captains that sailed into San Francisco harbor in the early days, was found dead in bed at his home in this city. He was 82 years of age and death is supposed to have been due to natural causes.

Washington—The president has informed Senators Perkins and Bard that he has decided to appoint Judge John Garber of San Francisco a member of the Panama canal commission, providing Graber would accept the position. Both senators were greatly surprised at the president's decision, as they had not recommended Garber, although they at once admitted his fitness for the place.

New York—The jury in the so-called silk frauds case returned a verdict finding both defendants, Cohn and Browne, guilty of conspiracy to defraud the government, as charged in the indictment. Both defendants are prominent, and it was alleged that the government had been defrauded of many thousands of dollars by means of false valuations of imported silks.

Fort Wayne, Ind.—Pennsylvania passenger train No. 6, which left Chicago Saturday night, was wrecked at Hobart, Ind., in a head-on collision with a freight train. Charles Strayer, baggageman, was killed, and two mail clerks, a fireman and two passengers were seriously injured. The baggage and express car were telescoped, and a mail car and both locomotives were badly smashed.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No. 1541.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of said deceased, to creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at the office of J. C. Ruddock, Ukiah City, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in the County of Mendocino, State of California. First insertion February 5th, 1904.

Dated February 3, 1904

JOHN B. SOMMERS,

Administrator in the estate of Sophie Sommers, deceased.

J. C. RUDDOCK,

Attorney for administrator.

## Probate.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY of Mendocino, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of A. F. Redemeyer, Deceased.

Notice for publication of time appointed for probate of will.

Notice is hereby given, that Monday, the 29th day of February, A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, and the court room of said court, at the court house, in the County of Mendocino, State of California, have been appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said A. F. Redemeyer, deceased, and for hearing the application of George W. Stout for the issuance to him of letters testimentary thereon. And all persons interested in said estate are notified to then and there appear and show cause, if any they have, why said will should not be admitted to probate, and letters testamentary thereon issued to said petitioner.

HALE McCOWEN,

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MANNON & MANNON,

Attorneys for petitioner.

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Dated February 3rd, 1904.

EFFIE HAUGSTED.

Executrix of the last will and testament of George Haugsted, deceased.

McNAB & HIRSCH,

Attorneys for executrix.


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